

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

First Named Applicant: Crawford  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 1, 2008**

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 1, 2008 please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments** to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this Response.